CHAPTER 129

DEER HUNTING LICENSES

H. F. 197

AN ACT relating to deer hunting licenses.

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Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Section one hundred nine point thirty-eight (109.38), SECTION 1. Code 1966, is hereby amended by striking subsection two (2) and in-

serting in lieu thereof the following:

3 4 "2. If following an investigation the commission finds that the num-5 ber of hunters licensed to take deer should be limited or further regu-6 lated, the commission may determine the number of hunters to be 7 licensed to take deer during the next open season. Such determination shall be made at least ninety (90) days prior to the first day of such 8 season and before issuance of any licenses to take deer during the 9 season. Following such determination, the commission shall issue 10 11 licenses in the order in which applications therefor are received and shall continue to issue licenses until the quota has been issued or until 12 a date thirty (30) days prior to the opening day of the season, which-13 14 ever first occurs. If the quota of licenses has not been exhausted thirty 15 (30) days prior to the opening date, the commission shall issue licenses 16 up to a date fifteen (15) days prior to the opening day or until the quota has been issued, whichever first occurs. Owners or tenants of 17 18 land shall be permitted to hunt deer on land owned or leased by them, subject to all other laws or regulations."

Approved June 15, 1967.

CHAPTER 130 DEER HUNTING

H. F. 240

AN ACT relating to deer hunting.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Section one hundred nine point thirty-nine (109.39),

Code 1966, is hereby amended by adding the following:

3 "If the commission finds that the biological balance of deer cannot 4 be maintained on land owned by the federal government because of 5 hunting prohibitions on weekdays, the commission may extend the open season for deer hunting within such areas for one (1) or more weekends beyond the regular season as established by the commission. 8 The total number of days of deer hunting permitted in areas owned by the federal government shall not exceed the total number of days 9 10 authorized for deer hunting in the state, or that part of the state in which the federal-owned land is located, as established by the commis-11

12 sion."

Approved June 20, 1967.